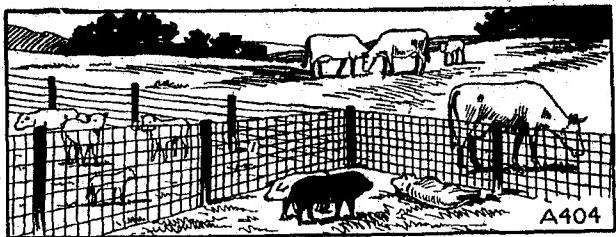


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GOOD ROADS WEEK IN THE STATE OF MICHIGAN.

Governor Sleeper of Michigan Issues Executive Order Proclaiming Week of May 17th Ship by Truck.

The week of May 17th has been officially set aside throughout the nation as National Ship by Truck—Good Roads week. The program will consist of sixty-five truck tours from sixty-five of the largest cities in the United States and through the rural communities to boost economic motor truck transportation and good roads.

The Michigan program consists of three truck tours. One leaving Detroit the morning of May 17th, one leaving Grand Rapids and one leaving Saginaw the same date. These tours will consist of motor trucks of all types and descriptions.

The Army, Navy and Marine Corps will be represented by recruiting trucks. Prominent men of national repute will address mass meetings in each town on motor truck transportation and good roads.

For tours, talks, news publicity, etc., the following organizations are pledged for active co-operation prior to, and during the week of demonstration.

National Press association.
National Moving picture association.
National Automobile Chamber of commerce.

National Automobile Dealers' association.

National Association of Motor Truck Sales managers.

Trailer Manufacturers' association.

National Accessory association.

Automobile association of America.

U. S. Chamber of commerce.

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U. S. Army, Navy and Marine Corps Recruiting service.

Full itinerary of each truck tour will be announced later. National Ship by Truck—Good Roads week will do more in one week to boost Motor Truck transportation and Good roads throughout the nation than any other similar movement ever started.

The active co-operation of farmers, merchants and everyone interested in economic transportation and the betterment of our highways is urgently invited to meet during the week of May 17th in their respective communities to consider the serious problems now to be faced as to the transportation of produce and supplies.

Executive Order Proclamation.

Ship-by-Truck—Good Roads Week.

Whereas, the ever-increasing needs of quick transportation for short distances are growing constantly greater; and,

Whereas, thousands of tons of farm produce are allowed to go to waste because of unimproved highways and lack of quick means of transportation to the nearest markets; and,

Whereas, the high cost of living will be materially reduced by furnishing this convenient market; and,

Whereas, merchandise of all kinds can be cheaply and expeditiously shipped to and fro by truck.

Now, therefore, I, Albert E. Sleeper, Governor of Michigan, do hereby proclaim the week beginning Monday, May 17th, 1920, as Ship-by-Truck—Good Roads Week in Michigan, and I hereby call upon all farmers, merchants and others interested in transportation matters and the betterment of our highways to meet during that week in their respective communities to consider the serious problems which are apparent in our commonwealth as to the transportation of produce and supplies.

Given under my hand and official seal, at the Capitol, in Lansing this 28th day of April A. D. 1920.

(Signed) Albert E. Sleeper,
Governor.

MANY TOURISTS COMING THIS WAY.

Development Bureau Wants Information About Cottages For Rent.

The advertising which is now being done by the East Michigan Travel and Escort association is bringing in hundreds of inquiries for information regarding cottages, camping sites, hotels and other matters of interest to the tourist. Copies of these inquiries are sent to every member of the association and the Northeastern Michigan Development bureau and the Bay City Board of Commerce, representing this section of the territory advertised by the travel and resort association, are sending out replies to these inquiries as fast as they are received in all cases where the requested information is in their possession.

"A great many people want specific information on whether they can secure cottages for a part of the summer," said Secretary Marston, of the Development Bureau, "and as yet we have no date on cottages. If associations or individuals who have such cottages which are available for the tourist will furnish the bureau with the facts regarding their property it will be passed on to those making the inquiries."

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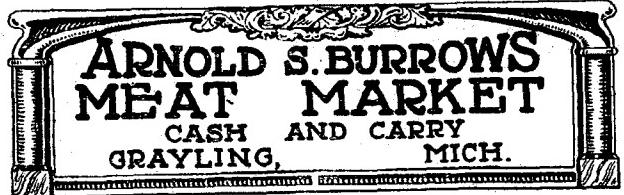
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CHEBOGAN PHYSICIAN OBJECTS TO CUTTING SPRUCE AND BALSAM FOR XMAS TREES.

At a meeting of the Cheboygan Farm bureau, Dr. A. M. Gerow offered a solution to request the State legislature to pass laws prohibiting the cutting down of spruce and balsam trees for Christmas trees. The resolution was unanimously adopted. Its importance may readily be seen and should find quick response from organizations throughout the State of Michigan. The resolution reads as follows:

"Resolved, that our representatives in the legislature be requested to use their endeavors to enact a law to prevent the cutting of small spruce and balsam trees for Christmas trees or for any other purpose than the clearing of land for agricultural purposes, because

1—These trees, if allowed to stand and mature would furnish millions of feet of lumber for paper making, also lumber for building, etc.

2—They would save an immense area to reforestation and maintenance to our forests.

3—They would in part, satisfy a demand of necessity while when permanently cut they satisfy only a demand for a few hours of pleasure."

The doctor called attention to the harm being done to the reforestation interests of northern Michigan, to the advantage of allowing such trees to grow to reforest the thousands of acres of cut-over lands, the influence of the forest, both great and small, have on the rainfall and climatic conditions and the impracticability of the present methods of destruction. It will need no new commission to conserve and to look after this young growth. The public domain commission, and the many branches of that commission such as the game warden department and its army of wardens are already organized to protect the forests from fires, and their duties could as easily include the looking after and preserving of the young trees now being slaughtered by the hundreds of thousands, returning no wealth of tangible good to the communities from which they are gathered. Every person that gives this matter the least bit of thought will grasp the significance of the doctor's proposition and the necessity of just such action as he proposes.

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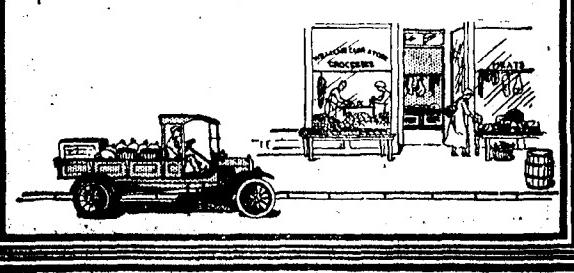
Rather a bit embarrassing to know how we are to keep warm next winter. Folks who are wise to the weather say hard coal will be twenty dollars a ton and soft coal ten or more. Wood will be at least four planks per cord and hard to get at that. We might consider going to Florida for the winter, but the folks from Nashville who were down there last winter claim they suffered from the cold most of the time, so what's the use? There seems to be only one place left to go to keep warm and while we have been told many times to go there, we're not really ready just yet. Somebody get us a slate and pencil while we figure it all out.—Fike in the Nashville News.

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Grayling, Mich.



U. S. DESTROYERS SPEED TO MEXICO

CAUSE OF FLOTILLA'S DISPATCH CONCEALED BY NAVY CHIEFS.

1200 MARINES ORDERED SOUTH

Force Taken to Key West To Be Ready for Possible Service in Mexico.

Washington—Four destroyers have left Key West for Tampico, Mexico, the navy department has announced. The remaining two destroyers of the six sent south from New York will also proceed to Tampico as soon as minor repairs are completed.

The department made no explanation of its decision to rush the ships Mexican waters. Those en route are the Isherwood, Putnam, Dale and Case. The Reid and Flusser are at Key West. It was indicated that the tender Black Hawk, with Captain Long, senior officer of the flotilla, aboard, also would proceed to Tampico.

Official confirmation of the occupation of Mexico City by rebel forces has been received by the state department from the American embassy. There was no disorder and no foreigners were interfered with, the message said.

Information has been received by the state department, that Tampico is in the hands of revolutionists. The federal general, Orozco, has taken refuge on the Mexican federal gunboat Jalisco and the revolutionary authorities at Tampico had given assurances of guarantees there.

The department's advice also told of the capture by revolutionists of Torreon and Monclova in the state of Coahuila, and of Aguas Calientes, in the state of that name. Telegraph communication had been restored between Chihuahua and Torreon and Aguas Calientes, the messages said.

Ramon P. De Negri, formerly the Mexican consul general at San Francisco, arrived here in his new capacity as "commercial representative of the government of Sonora." He issued a statement placing the blame for the revolution on the advisers of Carranza.

Marines Ordered South.

Washington—A force of approximately 1,200 marines was ordered to proceed on the transport Henderson from League Island to Key West, Fla., to be held for possible service in Mexico.

Secretary Daniels, in announcing that the marines had been ordered to Key West, explained that it was a precautionary measure for protection of Americans, and that they would not be sent into Mexican territory unless the necessity warranted.

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COURT FREES YARDMEN'S CHIEF

No Hearing While Unemployed, Rail Board's Ruling.

Detroit—On request of the prosecutor in the case against William C. Chapoton, president of the Detroit Yardmen's association, was dismissed by Judge Stein. Chapoton was arrested recently, the police alleging that he had violated the state syndicalist act. The assistant prosecutor informed the court that evidence sufficient to warrant holding the labor leader longer had not been presented.

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SCHOOL COLUMN

(Edited by X, Y, and Z.)

Be humble or you'll stumble.

—D. L. Moody.

Of course eighth graders are all "flutter." Eighth grade exams Thursday and Friday of this week.

Vital—Compelling.
A Vivid Human Document.
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"Toys of Fate."

Grayling Opera House, Friday, night May 14.

Virginia Austin of West Branch visited Miss Hoyt last week-end.

Mystery—a boy, a string, a fern, a joke.

Five more weeks of School!

George VanPatten and Richard Lovley visited school Monday afternoon.

When all the kids downstairs are eating

The sandwiches the Juniors sell,
The Senior high is vainly trying
Strange inward feelings to dispel.

See Miss Hoyt about Summer school?

Fern Armstrong and Pat Clark visited school for a little while Tuesday morning.

Have the people of this town no interest in school affairs? If they have why not buy some tickets for "Toys of Fate."

An operetta, "The Smuggler," given by the children of the lower grades was tre's interesting. The children spent a great deal of time practicing and considerable amount of talent was displayed. The assembly seats were nearly filled and all enjoyed the little folks' entertainment.

The "Signs of the Times" is the subject of interest in the Roman history class at present. They are comparing the marks of decline of the Great Roman empire to the signs of today. Is civilization moving west? Is the United States at its Golden Age? Ask some of the shining stars of this class about it.

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Good news for millions of sufferers. Chemists have found a sure remedy—one that takes the acid up and carries it out of the body; of course, when the cause is removed, the sufferer gets well.

Bloating, indigestion, sour, acid, gassy stomach miseries all removed. This is proven by over half a million ailing folks who have taken EATONIC with wonderful benefits. It can be obtained from any druggist, who will cheerfully refund its trifling cost if not entirely satisfactory. Everyone should enjoy its benefits. Frequently the first tablet gives relief.

Unexplored Libya.

Italian Libya now comprises the two provinces of Tripolitania and Cirenaica and lies along the northern coast of Africa, between Tunis (French) on the west and Egypt on the east, in longitude from about 9° to 23° degrees east. The extremely northerly part of Libya is at about the parallel of latitude 33° degrees north; the southernmost point is unknown, as the territory runs south into the unmapped Sahara indefinitely.

Class rule is the worst menace to democracy.

Get Back Your Health

Are you dragging around day after day with a dull backache? Are you tired, and lame mornings—subjected to headaches, dizzy spells, and sharp stabbing pains? Then there's surely something wrong. Probably it's kidney weakness. Don't wait for more serious kidney trouble to attack you with and keep it. For quick relief get plenty sleep and exercise and use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands. Ask your neighbor!

A Michigan Case

Fred Moran, Major, St. Croswell, Mich., says: "I had a lame back and was subject to a dull, heavy ache through the small of my back, which was doubled up, unable to do anything. Black specks would dance before my eyes, and I became terribly dizzy. Doan's Kidney Pills took away that dreadful backache and put my kidneys in good shape."

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Frederick W. D. Kelly, former trainer of the Brooklyn Dodgers, has been signed for similar duties with the Akron International.

W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 20-1920.

REDLEG PITCHERS HAND IVY WINGO FINE BOOST FOR PATIENT WORK BEHIND PLATE



Jimmy Ring
Ivy Wingo
Walter Ruether

Ivy Wingo, Cincinnati catcher, may not be regarded generally as a star receiver, but since Cincinnati won the National league flag and then copped the world's championship from the White Sox, he has two boosters who never pass up an opportunity to sing his praises. The boosters are Walter Ruether and Jimmy Ring, members of the Cincinnati hurling group.

Ring and Ruether both declared Wingo has been cheated out of his share of publicity for his work behind the bat. They say Ivy does not court publicity, nor does he expect any, and consequently he is overlooked by the scribes.

Best Work Never Seen.

According to Ring, Wingo's best work is never seen by the fans, because he is most valuable as a helper to pitchers. "A pitcher never worries or frets in a critical situation when Ivy is behind the bat," he said, "because Ivy knows how to encourage a man and dwarf the danger of the situation regardless of what it may be."

It seems Wingo is one of the precious few big league catchers who

PRICE OF ATHLETIC GOODS DUE TO SOAR

Poor Man Is Barred From Privilege of Exercising.

Walking Is Only Thing That Won't Cost More If It Is Done in Bare Feet—Increase Hits Every Sporting Article in Sight.

Exercise is no longer a poor man's privilege.

Inquiry among leading sporting goods dealers showed that prices of all sporting goods are coming up this year.

The only thing that won't cost more is walking if you do it in your bare feet. Hiking shoes will cost from \$10 to \$15, an increase of 20 per cent.

The increase hits every sporting article in sight and even that which isn't. Athletic underwear is on the upward grade.

"There'll be twice as many baseball teams this year as last year," predicted an official of a big sporting goods house.

The only new frills in sports this year will be in golf. Bloomers for women and a new set of iron clubs which allow the golfer to hit the ball from any angle are being displayed. There are ten clubs to the set.

Swimming suits will be one-piece affairs this year—for men and women. Men's suits will be the baggy affairs of old, but women will have a creation in colors.

Under the new list of prices, just out, baseballs will cost 50 cents more. League balls will cost \$2.50 apiece. Balls for sand-lot games will cost 50 cents. Baseball gloves will cost as high as \$25. The cheapest will be \$1—a boy's fielding glove. Baseball shoes which sold last year for \$12 now cost \$21; chest protectors and masks have increased.

Golf clubs will cost \$6 and upward, while the minimum charge for golf balls will be 60 cents.

Football, boxing gloves, weight exercisers, punching bags, basketballs and other sporting paraphernalia experience similar boosts in prices.

The increase is due to higher costs of labor and material, it was said.

Fohl Off Pay Roll.

Lee Fohl, who has been acting as scout for the Indians since being succeeded as manager by Speaker, won't be on the Cleveland pay roll this season.

Boose After Birth.

Everett Boose, after being out of the game a couple of years, is trying to win a berth in the San Antonio outfit.

May Lure "Tex" Jones Back.

"Tex" Jones, the Wichita ball player who made a million in oil and quit the game, may find the call too strong for this spring and again don don a uniform.

Tacoma Raises Coin.

Baseball went over the top in Tacoma. The fans have raised \$12,000 to back a club this summer in the Pacific International league. Bobby Vaughn is to manage the club.

Holland Enters Team.

Holland has entered a challenge for the Davis International lawn tennis cup, now held by Australasia, it is announced by the Lawn Tennis Association.

Halifax Wants Olympia.

Halifax is to hold an international exposition in 1924 and wants the Olympic games as an added attraction for its success.

Kelly Akron Trainer.

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SANDLOTS FURNISH STARS

Mordecal Brown, Former Cub Pitcher, Says College Boy Is at Big Disadvantage.

The boy from the sandlots makes a better ball player than the college youth, according to Mordecal Brown, the one-time three-fingered pitching marvel of the Chicago Cubs.

"If we were to select one of two players of equal ability—one of them a boy off the sandlots and the other a college star—I would take the sandlot youth every time," says Mordecal.

"I do not mean to deprecate the ability of college players. Some of the really big men of the game have been developed by the colleges. But it has been my observation, both while in the major league and since leaving it, that the college player is at a disadvantage.

"This, I believe, is due to the fact that many of them have not been up against the world. They cannot give and take as the player who has had his start in semipro baseball."

DIAMOND NOTES

No big leaguer has shown better all-around work this spring than Bobby Veach.

Rumor has it that "Stuffy" McInnis has been placed on the market by the Red Sox.

Davy Bancroft, who had a mild case of flu, has recovered and is once more guarding the shortstop spot.

Fred Thomas is a fine fielder, but his weakness as a hitter may mean a new third baseman for the Athletics.

Marsans, the Cuban player, has found it a tough job trying to regain his old playing form after his long layoff.

Rabbit Garrity, with Galveston last year, is playing with the Casper, Wyo., team, managed by the Texas veteran, Arbogast.

Gene Robertson, infielder, has been released by the St. Louis Americans to the Columbus club of the American association.

Pitcher Grimes expects to do a lot of work for the Brooklyn team this season, having declared that he will pitch 36 games.

A rather tough season is in store for Babe Ruth. If he tries to deliver all the wonderful stunts expected of him by Gotham fans.

With Pitchers Joe Bush and Harry Harper lined up, Manager Barrow looks for a big improvement in the Red Sox pastime.

Pat Moran says that he will make no changes in the lineup of the champion Reds this season. "The team is good enough as it stands," he declares.

Horace Milan, brother of the veteran Washington outfielder, will be in the Western league again this year. He had a couple of trials with the Nationals.

Pitcher Wayne Wright of the Louisville club, has been completing his college work at Ohio State university, and has been late in reporting as a consequence.

Yankee fans are hopeful that Fewster will entirely recover from his injuries and that some time next summer he will be able to resume work on the ball field.

Basball has become one of the features of Peoria. It has a club in the Three-I league. The other day the city voted a bond issue of \$50,000 to build a baseball stadium.

Akron got Ray Morgan from Baltimore for the International league waiver price, of \$1,000. It paid the same sum for Billy Purcell, claimed on waivers from Toronto.

Ted Easterly, the old Cleveland catcher, and lefty Bill James, who once toiled on the Cleveland slab, are now members of the Beaumont team of the Texas league.

Tris Speaker is raising an objection to the player limit. He is the only playing manager in the majors and thinks that he should be exempt, thus giving the Indians one more athlete.

Last season at least three clubs in the American league drew more than 50,000 people in the home games. By way of comparison, the Atlanta club led the Southern association with 105,000 paid at home.

The Kansas City club paid \$1,200 for Bill Evans last year, when they bought him from the Pirates, and asked \$6,000 when Dreyfuss wished to buy him back last fall.

Buzz Wetzel, who made such a roaring financial success of the Saginaw club in the Michigan-Ontario league last year, will manage the London team this year.

They have a ball club in Honolulu they call the Braves. Some of the names of the other clubs in the Hawaiian league sound like Boston. They are the Asahis and Waikikis.

The Washington club has turned Pitcher Golden over to Shreveport, of the Texas league.

The Baltimore club has sold Catcher Alex Schaufele to the Kalamazoo club, of the Central league.

George Cutshaw, who led the Pilots driving in runs last season, declares that 1919 was one of his poorest seasons since he became a major leaguer.

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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By Mary Graham Bonner Clark
Illustrated by Charles A. Flanagan

THE CHICKENS.

"Hello," said Charlie Chicken.
"Hello," said Chai Chicken.

"What are you picking your feathers for?" asked Charlie.

"What are you?" asked Chai.

"I tell you if you'll tell me," said Charlie.

"And I'll tell you if you'll tell me, so it is quite fair all around," said Chai.

"Well," said Charlie, "well, cluck, cluck, you know what it is that people think about us when we pick our feathers."

"I will tell you, cluck, cluck, cluck, if you will tell me what you have in mind that people think about us," said Chai.

"All right, cluck-cluck," said Charlie.

"They say," he continued, "that if we go under cover it will be a fine day but that if we come out and pick our feathers it will be rainy."

"Just what I had in mind too," said Chai, "cluck-cluck, just what I had in mind."

"Now, you know," said Charlie, "that often is very, very true."

"In fact we have done that so often and so have other chickens that everyone has almost come to believe that it is always true."

"But it's not always true. For example we fix our feathers up when it is going to rain just as folks will take a rainy day off to do a lot of odd chores and mending that they haven't done on the fine days."

"Only instead of our waiting for the rain to come we begin before it does come when we feel it in the air."

"But this was one of the times when I didn't feel it and so I just looked after my feathers because I felt in the mood to do it."

"What do you mean by feeling in the mood to do it?" asked Charlie.

"Cluck-cluck then, I will explain it to you," said Chai. "When I am in a mood for a thing it means I am feeling like that thing. When I'm in the mood to fix my feathers it means I feel like fixing my feathers, cluck-cluck, see?"

"Very clearly do I see," said Charlie.

"Grand sentence that, cluck-cluck," said Chai.

"It's going to be fine and yet we're not going under cover," said Charlie. "At least I am not perfectly sure of the weather but I am pretty sure that it is not going to rain."

"I am pretty sure of it too," said Chai.

"I like to get up high to roost," said Charlie, "but I am still so young that it is very difficult to do so. We are so small, both of us that we can't get up high to roost."

"That's so," said Chai, "and wasn't it a joke the other day on the people?"</p

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PERU'S DRIFTING SAND DUNES

Plateau Shelf Has Strange Crescent-Shaped Formations That Are Packed Hard.

As one makes the ascent of the Andes from the Pacific port of Molleudo, Peru, following the line of the Southern of Peru railway, the climb to the divide is broken by two great steps or wide-sweeping shelves of desert or pampa.

On the first of these steps, about two hours' steep climb from the sea, and at an altitude of from four thousand to five thousand feet, are located the famous drifting sand hills of Peru. The plateau is here about twenty miles wide, the air thin and dry and no trace of vegetation to be seen, only these gigantic crescent-shaped sand dunes dotting the pampa as far as the eye can see.

Composed of fine gray crystal sand, they gleam white against the brown of the desert, and their horns point toward the prevailing south wind of this region. They are from fifteen to twenty feet in breadth across the thick part of the crescent and sometimes one hundred feet from horn to horn. So tightly is the sand packed that the feet of the horses or mules make little impression on it.

A Clean Sweeper.

Frank A. Munsey, who has now added the Gordon Bennett newspapers to his long string, is a very critical employer, and many a clean sweep occurs in his various offices.

It is said that a visitor called at one of Munsey's offices and asked the office boy if Scribner's the reporter, was in.

"I dunno," said the boy. "I ain't seen today's reporters yet."

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INTERIOR WELL ARRANGED

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By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building for the readers of this paper. He has wide experience as Editor, Author, and Manufacturer of books, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

During the last few years one idea about home building has been radically changed. That idea is regarding the size of the house. There was a time not so many years ago when practically every one who built a house had in it a number of "spare" rooms. There was a parlor on the first floor that was seldom used unless there was company. A "spare" bedroom, or two, usually was incorporated into the plan for the second floor. Now there are practically no "spare" rooms, while in the cities many homes and nearly all apartments are constructed so that one or two rooms do double duty—are used daytime as a living room or a dining room and by the use of concealed beds become bedrooms at night.

A home that contains sufficient room for a medium-sized family is the six-room square bungalow, shown in the accompanying illustration. This house contains three good-sized bedrooms on the second floor, so that a family of four adults easily can be accommodated, and by "doubling up" there is room for a guest or two to stay over night. At the same time this home is small, being only 31 feet square. At the present cost of building more room in a larger house than the needs of the family require is sheer waste of money, and considerably that will not cost an excessive sum.

In exterior appearance this home, with the outside walls treated as they are, and with the large porch presents an exceptionally fine appearance. The building is either of frame, brick or hollow clay building tile construction, with the exterior walls cov-

ered with stucco. One of the side walls is paneled by the use of a square lattice work, but it is not good policy to plant vines to cover the trellis, because vines discolor the stucco. However, the lattice work takes away the plainness of the wall. The colonial porch, at the side, with settees on either side is a good exterior fea-

ture, while the brick floors to the porches add another attractive touch.

How the six rooms are arranged and the size of each one are shown by the floor plan that accompanies the exterior view of the house. A living room of exceptionally large size, 15

feet by 20 feet, extends across the house. An open fireplace at one end, with a built-in bookcase at the side and the open side running to the second floor. Connected by a double easement opening is the dining room off one end of the living room. The dining room is a cheery room, being on the corner and having a double French door leading to the open porch. The kitchen adjoins the dining room and can be reached either from the living or dining room. This room is of good size, 13 feet 9 inches by 10 feet. Adjoining it are pantry and laundry. This location for a laundry is good, as it is handy to the kitchen, while at the same time it takes the messy work of washing out of the room where the cooking is done.

The stairs leads to a central hall on the second floor. Opening off the hall are three bedrooms, all corner rooms. They vary slightly in size, the largest being 14 feet 6 inches by 15 feet and the smallest 11 feet 3 inches by 15 feet. The other bedroom is 13 feet 6 inches. At one end of the hall is the bathroom, while adjoining it is a room fitted with closets

and shelves for the storage of linens.

The foundation is of concrete up to grade and brick above. The basement excavation is under the whole of the house proper and is finished with a cement floor. The basement should be divided into rooms; one for the heating plant, one for fuel storage and one for food storage, leaving room for the storage of lawn and garden tools and other things that usually are kept in the basement.

Taken both from the standpoint of exterior beauty and convenient and commodious interior, this home building design is excellent and will provide a dwelling for the average family that will not cost an excessive sum.

Whenever those who have in mind the erection of a home see a home building design that appeals to them, one of their first thoughts is "what will it cost?" Building costs are diffi-

cult to estimate with any degree of accuracy, because so many factors enter into them. There is the question of shortage or abundance of the skilled labor required to build a home; there is the great variance of freight rates on the materials, and the location of the building site in relation to the source of material supply and labor. For those reasons it never is safe to say what a home of a certain design will cost. But it is an easy matter to secure estimates of cost. The local architect, the contractors who will be asked to bid on the building and the material dealers all can give a pretty good estimate of what a home of a certain size or style will cost in their immediate localities, and by consulting them the prospective builder will get reliable figures.

Without a doubt the most satisfactory method of securing a home is to build it. By building the owner gets a home of the right size for his family; its exterior appearance and interior arrangement will conform to his ideas of how home should be laid out, and he will be able to keep his requirements within the range of his financial ability.

This is the year of home building and every man of family who has been paying the high rents now demanded is either building a home of his own or considering building one.

NOT QUITE FAIR PROPOSITION

Mary's Father Had Altogether the Best of the Situation Under the Circumstances.

Nothing is more true than the ancient bromide that "circumstances alter cases."

Bob loved Mary ardently and Mary returned the feeling with all the fervor of her nineteen years. They talked the matter over and decided that they wanted to get married at once. But Mary's father objected. Bob told it to a friend this way:

"We argued with her father for an hour, but our effort was wasted. He said we absolutely could not be married until I had had a substantial increase in salary."

"Well, now, really, isn't that a fair way for him to look at the matter in these days of high prices?" asked the friend.

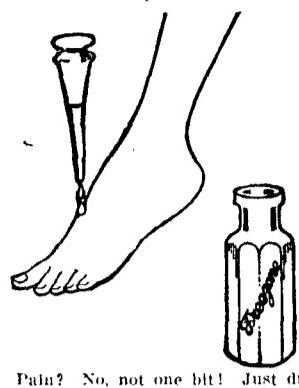
"It might be fair if it wasn't for one thing," answered Bob.

"What's that?"

"Mary's father is my boss."

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"It just have been a knight-mare."

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digestion, but the most important work is done by the bowels, liver and kidneys. Failure of these to act efficiently allows the whole body to be poisoned.

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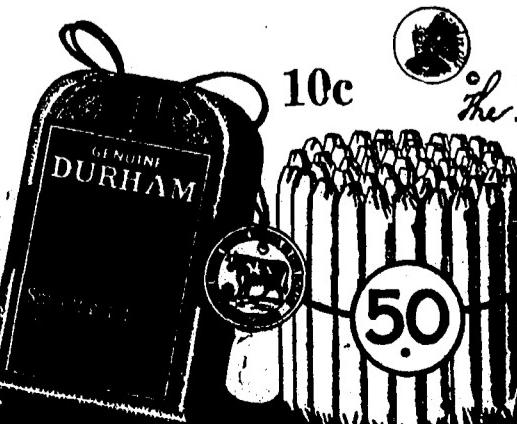
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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 13.

The Clover and the Bumble Bee.

Part 1.
"I think," said the Little-Girl, "that I will go
Today where the clover blossoms grow;

Outside of the fence, and down the lane
With the Bumble Bee and then back again."

Big-Boy and Little-Girl (of course, he wasn't big but Little-Girl thought he was; she was only seven and he was all of five years older) were again in the old garden. The little Green Elf was about, you may be sure, and so was the Bumble Bee, who wanted to tell her own story. Big-Boy said to Little-Girl:

"You had better go today if you want to hear the Bumble Bee's story, for the men will plow the clover under in a few days. It's plowing time and they are going to make a vegetable garden out of that field; I am to have my own little garden in one corner, all for myself. Want to help me plant it?"

Of course Little-Girl did, and she was very much flattered that a person like Big-Boy wanted her to help; but she was sorry for the clover field, so she said, "Oh, the beautiful red clover. Why do they bury it under the earth when it is so sweet and the Bumble Bee loves it? I love it, too. I love to make clover chains."

"Ho, ho," laughed the little Green Elf, "you see, Little-Girl, you have not studied as much at school as Big-Boy. He knows the Garden Manual by heart. He knows how to make the soil rich and pro-duc-tive. And about the clover, how it gives food to the ground when it is plowed under." "That is just it," sighed Little-Girl, "it dies before its time is up."

"There is no such thing as death," said the Elf Man (who was very wise), in a strange, sweet voice, "what we call death is really birth into another life; the clover comes up in another form of plant life. It has given its strength to form food for you to eat."

"The clover fields keep the earth moist and open during the winter and spring months," explained Big-Boy, "and then when it is turned under it adds humus to the ground so that the vegetable plants will be well nourished and the vegetables be sweet and tender for our dinner. I studied all about it in the Garden Manual. They planted this clover field on purpose to help the vegetables." Big-Boy was very proud of his knowledge.

"Hum-um-um-m-m-m," sang the Bumble Bee, "it's my turn next. Let me tell how I help. There wouldn't be any clover field if I didn't sow the seed. At least, I help ger-mi-nate it. Hum-um-um-m-m, Bum-ble-bum-bum."

"Do let her tell her story or we shall never be at peace," the Elf Man whispered to Big-Boy when Little-Girl wasn't looking. "She is a lady bee, you know, and very per-sist-ent."

"Bumble, bumble," sang the bee, "Who will roam the fields with me? Learn the secret of the clover—Who would be a nature lover?"

"We will, we will," cried the three little people, Little-Girl, Big-Boy, and the tiny Green Elf.

The Elf Man, who knew all garden secrets, broke into song:

"The bumble bee is dressed in yellow,
Downy velvet trimmed in black.
I trov, he is a handsome fellow,
And what he borrows he pays back!"—By Cecelia Reynolds Robertson.

IT'S "MILK COW;" NOT "MILCH COW"

Hereafter it will be "milk cow" and not "milch cow"—at least so far as the U. S. Department of Agriculture is concerned.

This decision marks the termination of a controversy in which etymologists in the department have had not a little interest. Those defending "milch" have pointed to scriptural use and certain of the classics as establishing precedents, while the opposition has contended that dairymen, ranchmen and farmers in general use "milk" instead of "milch" almost universally. The advocates of "milch" also favored that word because, they contend, it was more strictly an English word, while "milch" was akin to German. Since Americanization of language as well as ideals is an article in every patriot's creed, it is thought that this last sally of the "milch" defenders helped as much as any to decide the question in their favor.

MISS WALTON HONORED WITH
FAREWELL PARTY.

One of the prettiest and most unique of the season's parties was given by Miss Bernadette Cassidy and Miss Helen Reagan at the K. of C. hall Friday evening. The affair was given to compliment Miss Anne Walton, who is leaving Grayling to take up nursing in Detroit.

Fourteen couples accepted the invitation to be present and this number just comfortably filled the floor. The hall had been beautifully decorated in pink and white. In one corner of the ball room was a bowl filled with punch from which Miss Rose Cassidy and Miss Creva Hewitt served the cooling refreshments to dancers.

Easy chairs had been arranged in other corners for the comfort of the guests.

The first feature dance was a carnation dance, each guest receiving a pink or a white carnation. At intervals throughout the evening these feature dances were called and these made the party quite unique as well as entertaining.

Mrs. C. R. Keyport and daughter Jane are spending several days in Detroit, accompanying Miss Anne Walton to that place last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher returned home last week from Lansing, where they had spent a couple of weeks, that being their former home.

Mrs. Peter D. Borchers returned

Tuesday from a visit in Bay City and

was accompanied by her little niece Genevieve McPeak, who will spend

several weeks here.

Walter McDonald Mason, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mason of the South side passed away Sunday. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Klein, Mr. William Goodale and Miss Mae Whipple drove to Kalkaska last Sunday morning to spend the day with relatives of the former.

William E. McCullough of Detroit was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCullough over last Sunday. He with his father spent some of the time fishing for speckled beauties.

Here's a chance to earn a free ticket to "Toys of Fate" to be shown at the Grayling Opera house, Friday night, May 14. Every High School pupil that sells ten tickets is entitled to a free ticket to the show.

There is to be a May Festival held at Michelson Memorial church, Friday, May 21st, and from indications it is going to be a very pretty affair. You remember the May Festival given at this season last year.

In honor of Rev. K. C. Bodholt, the president of the Danish-Lutheran churches of America, who made a visit to the local church last Sunday, the members held a reception at Danebod hall during the afternoon and evening of that day. Lunch was enjoyed in the evening.

Mrs. Jos. Morency of Grayling underwent an operation Tuesday morning.

Her three daughters, Mrs. Charles Ames, Mrs. Frank Bracken and Miss Doris Morency and son Alfred Morency all of Detroit are here and will stay during her illness.

In the afternoons of each day the following program will be carried out:

School lunches, Monday.

Tuesday: Sanitary conditions in home; flies; outhouses; milk.

Wednesday: Bathing baby.

Thursday: Milk preparation for babies.

Friday: Child care; clothing; sleeping; bathing; toys; carriages; good ideas for care of babies.

Saturday: Open.

HAS WEST BRANCH FOUND THE SAME?

The Answer Is Found in the Straight-forward Statement of a West Branch Resident.

IT'S "MILK COW;" NOT "MILCH COW"

We have been reading week after week in the local press of Grayling citizens who have been rid of distressing kidney and bladder troubles by Doan's Kidney pills, and we have often wondered whether the same high opinion of this medicine is to be found in our neighboring towns. This frank and earnest statement by a well-known and respected resident of West Branch will set this doubt at rest.

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Adv.

LOCAL NEWS

CROSBY'S KIDS

L. J. Kraus made a business trip to Saginaw yesterday.

Miss Erdine McNeven resumed her duties at the Postoffice this morning after a several weeks' absence on account of illness.

Bake Sale at Schjotz grocery Saturday afternoon under auspices of W. B. A. Don't miss buying some good home-baked goodies.

Mrs. W. J. Teare, who has been visiting for several weeks in Buffalo, N. Y. and various places in Ohio, returned home Sunday morning.

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Mrs. Lloyd Hahn of Lansing is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher of the Military reservation.

This being Ascension Thursday,

masses were celebrated in St. Mary's church by Father Walters at 5:30

and also at 7:00 o'clock this morning.

Thomas Washington arrived last

Monday from Chicago, to commence

his duties as chef for the season at

the Portage Lake club at Lake Mar-

gretche.

Among those who are in Bay City

attending the Consistory are Dr. C.

A. Canfield, Dr. C. R. Keyport, A. M.

Lewis, Claud Gilson and Holger F.

Peterson

Miss Gertrude McPeak of Bay City

was a guest of her brother George

McPeak and family from Saturday

until Tuesday. She was accompanied

by Mr. Clarence Duso also of Bay

City.

Neil Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs.

J. E. Matthews, a week or so ago

went over to Rose City and while

there was united in marriage to Miss

Pearl Martin. They returned here

last week and have gone to house-

keeping. Mrs. Matthews was born

in Rose City and had resided there

all her life and has a host of friends

in her home town. Mr. Matthews is

employed at the Kerr & Hanson

Flooring mill in Grayling, returning

some time during last summer from

service in the army. He has lived

in Grayling since that time, although

his parents came here some years

previous.

SOUTH SIDE NEWS

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We have been holding off as long as possible, but now we find that we will have to advance our prices as follows:

Ice Cream, per gallon.....	\$2.50
Ice Cream, per quart.....	.70c
Ice Cream, per pint.....	.35c
Sodas, Plain Flavor.....	.15c
Sodas, Fruit Flavor.....	.20c
Sundaes, Plain Flavor.....	.15c
Sundaes, Fruit Flavor.....	.20c

We will hold cones at 6c for the time being.

We have also had to advance to 10c on Coco-Cola, Phosphates, Etc., which includes all War tax. The High Quality of our Cream and Supplies will be maintained. We are sure our patrons would prefer this to a cut in quality at a lowest price.

Hoping that we may still continue to have your valued patronage we remain

Yours truly,

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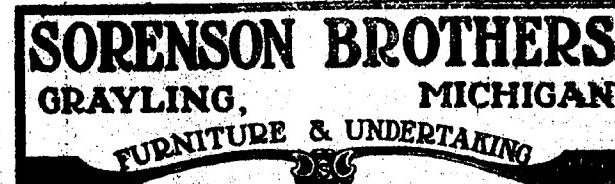


A SHAKY DINING TABLE SPOILS MANY A SPOTLESS TABLE CLOTH.

IF THERE is any thing that should be solid and substantial, it is the diner.

THE TABLE that weaves and trembles at every touch like the aspen leaf, should be consigned to the wood shed and return to the kitchen a la kindling wood.

WE HAVE a fine line of diners of differing woods, styles and prices, built for solidity, and you will enjoy the meals served upon them.



Read the Avalanche
If you Want the News.

LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 13.

M. A. Atkinson is driving a brand new Overland automobile.

Mrs. Frank Ahman returned from Saginaw Monday afternoon.

Waldemar Olson was down from Gaylord last Friday on business.

Kenneth McLeod left for Bay City Tuesday to be gone for a few days.

Mrs. James Lepard and three children are visiting relatives in West Branch.

Miss Erdine McNeven was in Bay City over Sunday the guest of Miss Emma Mayo.

Mrs. J. J. Johnson and daughter Ardath have returned from a visit in Traverse City.

Mrs. Sidney J. Graham of Detroit is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Hanson.

Attend the bake sale under auspices of the W. B. A. Saturday afternoon at Schjotz grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zeder and son Jack returned Friday afternoon from a few days spent in Bay City and Detroit.

Mrs. Dennis Johnson returned Friday from Detroit after a several weeks' visit with her brother and family.

Miss Virginia Austin of West Branch spent the week-end here visiting her sister Miss Alice Austin and Miss Hoyt.

Christ W. Olson is the owner of a fine new Essex automobile, which he drove home from Bay City the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Corner and children drove down from Wolverine Sunday morning and spent the day at the Cameron Game home.

Mrs. Edward King and Mrs. Frank Karnes and little son spent a few days of last week in Bay City visiting friends, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Ewalt is taking a series of baths at the Tatte Swedish bath house in Cheboygan. She is feeling much improved in health.

Gaylord is to have a Fourth of July celebration this year. The Herald and Times says that they will celebrate in the good old-fashioned way.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barber left Friday afternoon for a few days' visit in Detroit. Mr. Barber while away also made a business trip to Port Huron.

Several of the school children are selling tickets for the "Toys of Fate" to be given at the Opera house Friday night. If they sell ten they get one free. Help.

Mrs. Clarence Brown returned from a week's visit in Detroit and Bay City Monday. Mr. Brown who accompanied her returned the latter part of the week.

Should your clock be taken sick, and with fact so sad refuse to tick, and hours pass without a strike with it over to Cooley's hike.—In the C. J. Hathaway stand.

Mrs. Holger F. Peterson, who left for Canton, Ohio, a couple of weeks ago on account of the serious illness of an aunt, reports her aunt improving. Mrs. Peterson will be away for a number of weeks.

Remember the Millinery opening Saturday, May 16th. Come in and get acquainted. Maybe you will find just what you have been looking for in a summer hat. Mrs. Cooley at the C. J. Hathaway Store.

Work is under way in Standish, for the construction of one of the most modern and complete milk plants in the state for the Belle Isle Creamery company of Detroit. The plant when finished will have a capacity of 40,000 pounds of milk in nine hours.

You will find a complete line of picture frames and mouldings at the Wingard Studio. This stock has just arrived and is new and up to date. I am prepared to do all kinds of artistic framing.

J. H. Wingard.

Yuill Bros. lumber mill located 4 miles north of Gaylord at Logan was burned to the ground Tuesday afternoon of last week by a fire that started in the boiler room. The mill had just been repaired for the season's cut and was to start up last Monday. The loss on the mill is about \$20,000. A small part of it covered by insurance. The mill is not likely to be rebuilt.

Thomas Masters of Lovell, Mich., while visiting his daughter Mrs. Harley Eddy in this city took seriously ill and passed away Friday after a short illness the cause of death being broncho-pneumonia. Mr. Masters was 67 years old and had been engaged in lumbering for T. E. Douglas of Lovell previous to his death. The remains were taken to his old home in West Branch Monday forenoon for burial. His wife, one son and 5 daughters survive the deceased. Those known in Grayling are two daughters, Mrs. Harley Eddy and Miss Leona Masters.

If your carpets and rugs are really attractive they more than half furnish your home. No rug manufacturer can compare with Richardson's. Superlative qualities for artistic design, coloring and excellent quality. New patterns being exhibited at Sorenson Brothers.

Silence often covers a lot of ignorance.

N. P. Olson left for Detroit Tuesday afternoon to visit his wife.

Hats, Hats, Hats, Saturday, May 16th at the C. J. Hathaway Store.

Miss Clara Nelson was down from Johannesburg over Sunday visiting at her home.

Miss Marie Foreman of Bay City was a guest of Miss Augusta Kraus over Sunday.

Miss Anna Peterson left yesterday morning to spend a couple of days in Wolverine.

George VanPatten of Flint visited his father P. VanPatten and friends here over Sunday.

May Festival at the Michelson Memorial church, Friday May 21st. Plan on attending.

Friday night, May 14, is the date that "Toys of Fate" will be shown at the Opera house.

Miss Margaret Hathaway resigned her position as clerk at the Frank Dreese store Saturday.

Don't fail to attend the May Festival at the Michelson Memorial church, Friday, May 21st.

Harry Garrison, formerly of Grayling, but now of Bay City visited friends here over Sunday.

Mr. Gibson of Traverse City was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Connine last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Collier and little daughter Dorothy left for Port Huron Sunday night to visit friends.

Mrs. E. W. Behlike and daughter Helen Jane returned home Sunday morning from an extended visit in Escanaba.

Catechism classes for the children of St. Mary's church are being held on Saturday mornings of each week at nine o'clock.

Miss Janet Matson, who has been spending several weeks in Flint the guest of Miss Hilda Neilsen returned home last Monday.

Ernest Duval arrived from Detroit last Thursday to join his wife here. He is the new deliveryman at the Simpson grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dowker and little daughter Carrie, and John Barnes and little son visited relatives in Johannesburg over Sunday.

Mrs. H. G. Jarmin and son Alton Bradley returned Tuesday from Bay City, where they had spent several weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. M. Lewis and son Mark, who have been spending several weeks visiting relatives in Newberry, returned home Saturday morning.

Miss Edna Wingard will leave tomorrow night for Fowlerville to spend a week visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Gates and family, who have moved back to that place from Durand.

The West Branch Herald News reports the death of Mrs. George Bennett of that city in a Bay City hospital one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett were former residents of Grayling.

Mrs. Peter Berg of Grand Rapids

who has been spending a few weeks with her mother at Deward, arrived in the city a few days ago with her little son and the family is now nicely domiciled in their home next to the Co-operative store, of which Mr. Berg is the manager.

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For quick clean out of stock of jewelry Hathaway's auction sale takes the plum. From a complete stock he has reduced it to a more handful within a few days. There were a lot of real bargains passed out and a lot of things were sold for less money than they can be purchased at wholesale today. Mr. Hathaway says he expected his new quarters would be ready by May, but because of a strike of the carpenters' work was delayed and it will be about June 1 before he can move into the new offices. He will remain in Grayling at least another week to look after any optical patients that may wish their eyes examined and glasses fitted.

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Michigan News Tensely Told

BAY CITY—The Board of Commerce will furnish citizens with vacant ground for gardening.

Manistee—The large Wotan cleared port with the first big cargo of salt this year, containing 8,000 barrels. It was consigned to Milwaukee.

Grand Rapids—The estate of William Alden Smith, Jr., is valued at \$10,000, in a petition for appointment of administrator filed in Probate Court.

Centerville—One hundred and eighty-two empty houses in 60 school districts in St. Joseph county were found during the recent farm bureau survey.

Washington—Midland, Mich., has increased 117 per cent since 1910, the Census Bureau announces. Its new population is 5,463, an increase of 2,966.

Mt. Clemens—The American Legion planted a tree for each soldier from Mt. Clemens who lost his life in the World War at the Woodrow Wilson School.

Three Rivers—John Wagner, 78 years old, is dead. He helped make the first hand car turned out by the Sheffield plant of the Fairbanks-Morse Co. here.

Saginaw—St. Mary's Catholic parish has started excavation for a \$175,000 school building. It will be built on the present site of the school and sisters' home.

Kalamazoo—An order of the state fire marshal condemning the farmers' sheds, grocery and produce market to destruction, was reversed by Judge Guy Chester of Hillsdale.

Washington—Ironwood, Mich., has a population of 15,739, according to figures announced by the census bureau. The figures show an increase of 2,918, or 22.8 per cent since 1910.

Monroe—The Monroe Water Co. has agreed to sell the waterworks system for \$325,000. If the price is agreeable to the city commission, the question of purchase will be submitted to the voters.

Grand Rapids—Mrs. Emeline Spaulding, 95 years old and a resident of Michigan for 90 years, is dead. She was the last member of the Meech family, famous in the history of Kent County.

Grand Rapids—Stephen Matuszak, 32, was found unconscious and hanging backward over a picket fence after he attempted, while riding a bicycle, to avoid a collision with an automobile.

Hillsdale—Fifty-two empty houses in Scio township, and perhaps as many in some of the other townships of the county, are proof that the farmers are leaving the farms and moving to the cities.

Pontiac—A budget presented to the board of directors of the Board of Commerce places expenditures for the coming year at \$30,000. The budget was accepted. A national advertising campaign will cost \$8,000.

Washington—Cost of living figures in 14 American cities, obtained by the department of labor for December, 1919, as compared with December 1, 1914, put Detroit at the top of the list with an increase of 108 per cent.

Baldwin—Grasshoppers will not get the major part of the crops on Lake county this year if the supervisors can help it. They have appropriated money to purchase large quantities of poison to be distributed by the supervisors.

Ironia—The State Military Board has agreed to repair and enlarge the Armory here, badly damaged by the recent tornado, if the city will deed necessary adjoining land and immediately organize a National Guard Company.

Houghton—Representatives of 20 lumber mill companies in the Houghton District refused the demands of the International Lumber Workers for an hour day. The Baraga Lumber Co. and Rubicon Lumber Co., both of Baraga, closed their mills.

Cadillac—Five Chicago and Tennessee men were indicted by a Federal grand jury at Chattanooga, Tenn., charged with conspiracy in using the mails to defraud in promoting the sale of lots in Boulevard Beach subdivision, a swampy project 10 miles from this city. Local officials were witnesses.

Battle Creek—Commissioner E. J. McPeake and City Sealer Fred G. Barnard of Battle Creek, in the name of the city, purchased a car of sugar in Chicago at the record-breaking price of \$13,000. Retailers to whom it was turned over, paid at the rate of 34 cents a pound and customers are to get it at 36 cents. This relieves the sugar stringency and it is thought will tide the city over till the situation brightens.

Traverse City—Three engineers have been employed and work has been started on surveying the 25 prospective state park sites under the direction of the state park commission. The first work will be commenced at Glen Arbor Bay, the next at Paw Paw, and the next at East Tawas. The 25 sites under consideration are in Keweenaw, Iron, Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Alpena, Antrim, Leelanau, Grand Traverse, Muskegon, Van Buren, Crawford, Roscommon, Iosco and Alcona counties.

Grand Rapids—Co-operative marketing of farm products will be an important factor in Kent county this season. The progress the co-operative marketing movement has made is witnessed by nine farmers' elevators, six livestock shipping associations and four co-operative creameries. The elevators at Caledonia, Alto, McCords, Sand Lake and Kent City have been successfully operated for some time. Negotiations are under way for elevators at Lowell, Rockford, Cedar Springs and Sparta. The livestock shipping associations have been successful.

Lansing—State institutions are ob-

liging to pay the Board of State Institutions for alcohol furnished for use in their hospitals from the liquor stocks seized by the State Police and the Food and Drugs department, and refined. Hospitals and institutions have received 183 gallons, for which the board is asking pay at the rate of 16 cents a gallon. This is necessary, it is said, because the bookkeeping system of the state does not permit goods to be transferred from one state agency to another without payment. Bills for goods were sent out to cover this item.

Bay City—Petitions are being circu-

lated in the Seventh and Eighth wards asking the council to order the street car tracks torn up from Wenonah avenue that the street may be paved. The street car company has refused to pay its share of the paving expense.

Marshall—A peculiar incident was

repeated at a teachers' examination held here today when it was learned four pairs of twins were enrolled.

They are Lela and Zell Dickey, of Leroy; Vera and Vida Strong, Mary and Martha Walters, of Burlington, and Nina and Mary Thomas, of Tokonoma.

Saginaw—Allen Hazen, New York water expert, who is consulting engineer in the \$6,581,000 water project which Saginaw voters adopted this spring, has returned east after weeks investigation here. He says with normal conditions the new plant which brings water 16 miles from Saginaw Bay will be ready for use in three years.

Holland—John R. Wiggers, held for

trial at the August term of circuit court, is claimed to have given Prosecutor Miles a confession of the manner in which he fired the Pines hotel at Jenison park, as follows: "I first took a file, and placed it in the joints of the hotel. Then I placed a row of matches beneath the file. One end of a rope I attached to the file and the other end to a limb of a tree. When the wind blew, it moved the limb, the limb moved the rope, which moved the file, which moved over the matches and finally ignited them."

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CARRANZA PACKS SAYS MEX RUMOR

**MOVEMENT OF GOVERNMENT'S
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IN WASHINGTON**

LIKELY TO BATTLE WAY SOUTH

**Oregon Denies He Joined With
Rebels in Order to Win Pre-
dency of Country**

**El Paso, Texas.—President Carranza
was scheduled to leave Mexico City
for Vera Cruz, according to a telegram
from Nogales, Arizona. The
message was signed by A. Almada,
head of the revolutionists' department
of information and propaganda at
Nogales.**

**In view of reports received earlier
that the railroad service from Mexico
City to Vera Cruz had been suspended,
some doubts were expressed here as to
the probability that the Mexican
chief executive had been able to de-
part. It was pointed out, however,
that as a result of the critical situa-
tion of the federal government a spe-
cial effort might have been made to
run a special train for President Car-
ranza.**

May Moves Capital.

**Washington.—Concentration by Car-
ranza of troops at Mexico City caused
rebel representatives here and some
American army officers to believe it
might indicate the president's deter-
mination to gather about him a force
sufficiently strong to enable him to
transfer his seat of government.**

**Some idea of what the roads needed
in the way of equipment was given
by the committee by E. N. Brown, of St.
Louis, who declared the present short-
age amounted to 226,000 freight cars,
3,190 locomotives and 6,000 passenger
cars. He believed they could get
along for a time with 100,000 freight
cars and 2,000 locomotives, the total
cost of which was estimated at \$816,
000. Mr. Brown testified that the
carriers had paid as high as 7 3/4 per
cent in equipment funds in the open
market and finally had been told that
\$150,000 was all that could be bor-
rowed for that purpose.**

**Reports from Mexico City are that
the legislature, of the state of Mexico
had declared in favor of the revolu-
tion and that General De La Torre
had been sent to recapture Toluca,
the state capital. Oaxaca, capital of
the state of the same name, Tuxpan and
Panuco, near Tampico, are towns
now claimed by the rebels.**

Denies Seeking Presidency.

**San Antonio, Tex.—Lieutenant Col-
onel Alvaro Obregon, in a manifesto
issued in the state of Guerrero, a copy
of which reached San Antonio, called
upon the Mexican people to rally to
the support of the revolt against Pres-
ident Carranza and denied that he was
seeking presidential power.**

Aeronaves Arrest Carranza.

**Washington.—Reports received by
the revolutionary agency here indicate
that President Carranza has completed
plans to flee to Vera Cruz if Mexico
City is too seriously menaced. Aero-
planes are in Mexico City for the use
in the flight of the president, it was
said.**

**Representatives of the government
said that Carranza would flee to Hav-
ana and thence to Spain. Revolution-
ists are not interested in capturing
Carranza, it was stated.**

Sonora Prepare Advance.

**Aguia Prieta, Sonora.—An advance
guard, led by several members of the
staff of General P. Elias Calles, com-
mander of the rebel troops in north-
ern Sonora, has gone through Pulpito
Pass and is preparing a camp site in
Chihuahua for the 2,000 Sonora troops
which have left here.**

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STATE MINERS LAUNCH STRIKE

**Saginaw Valley Output Stopped When
Men Demand Wartime Scale.**

**Saginaw.—Michigan coal mines have
closed until such time as there is in-
corporated in the new wage scale un-
der discussion for a month past the
ten-cent-a-ton raise which the miners
claim should have been granted them
during the war. This, President William
Stevenson says, was never put in effect.**

**The stand of the miners is taken
after the return of Stevenson from
New York, where he conferred with
International President John L. Lewis.**

**He says Lewis told the Michigan min-
ers' delegation that they were right in
their stand. They did not refer it to
the blitinous commission, for Stevenson
says it is a matter not to be arbitrated.**

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COURT HALTS FARMERS' LOANS

**20,000 Agriculturists Are Waiting For
\$50,000,000 Aid.**

**Washington.—Commissioner Lob-
dell, of the farm loan board, called the
presidents of all farm loan banks to
Washington for a conference to dis-
cuss the situation growing out of the
action of the supreme court in order-
ing a rehearing of the suit to test
the constitutionality of the farm loan
act.**

**Present indications are that a de-
cision will not be forthcoming before
fall. The board suspended making
loans two months ago and now as a
result of the postponement by the
court, faces an entire summer of in-
activity.**

**Mr. Lobdell said that applications
aggregating \$50,000,000 are on file with
the 12 banks. This sum represents
applications from more than 20,000
farmers, most of whom were said to
have been depending on the farm
loan banks for financial aid in produc-
ting this year's crops.**

Canada Asks U. S. Prepay Freight.

**Ottawa.—The Canadian railway com-
mission will open negotiations with
the Interstate commerce commission of
the United States for modification
of the order issued by railroads in the
United States that freight charges
must be prepaid on shipments to Can-
adian points. Canadian importers have
requested the Canadian commission to
arrange for payment of freight
charges to the Canadian boundary in
United States money, thence to be
transferred to the Canadian money.**

Woman Finds \$800 in Basket.

**Joliet, Ill.—Only a farmer's wife, but honest as the day is long is Mrs. William Metzger. When she returned home from a grocery purchasing trip
she found an extra package in her
providence basket. She opened it and found \$808 inside, all in genuine bills.**

Amazed, she returned to the store. It

**was disclosed the cashier had just pre-
pared the store cash for banking when**

**Mrs. Metzger was making her pur-
chases, and the bundle was put in her**

basket by mistake.

Nervy Woman Routs Burglar.

**Detroit.—Eva Craig, proprietor of
the Canfield apartments, 100 Canfield
avenue east, awoke at 2:30 a. m. to
see a strange man standing beside the
bed. He picked up a pocket light,**

**flashed it at her face and said, "Cover
up your head! I want your money, I**

don't care anything about your life."

Instead of obeying, Miss Craig made

**a faint at reaching for a revolver under
her pillow. The intruder dashed across
the room, swung through the window**

and dropped to the ground.

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The House of Whispers

By WILLIAM JOHNSTON

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CHAPTER VIII—Continued.

"I guess so," said Wick. "That's where his room is. He's only been here in the Granddeck a few days. I don't know much about him."

"And that's all you know about it?" said the detective, turning to me again. I hesitated. Should I or should I not tell them of the wall safe that I had seen Mr. Wick closing? There was no way I could prove it. Undoubtedly Wick would deny having done so. It would be his word against mine. As superintendent his word would undoubtedly carry. I decided it would be best to withhold my information to a more propitious time.

"That's all I know, except what Mr. Wick has told you," I said.

"Very well," said the detective in charge. "You can go now, and you, too, Doctor."

Mr. Wick was escorting the doctor to the door. The detectives had withdrawn to the room where the body lay and were holding a whispered conference. I stepped quickly to the wall safe, and making sure that I was unobserved, tested the knob. It was securely fastened. I congratulated myself on having said nothing about it. Wick, I felt certain, would deny having shut it, and there was no proof that it had been opened when we had entered.

As I returned to my own apartment upstairs, nearing the top of the short flight of steps between the floors I was astounded to see a female figure flitting across the hall and entering the Bradford apartment. Though I had opportunity for only a brief glimpse, I recognized her at once. It was Claire Bradford.

The door of my apartment was standing wide open. I remembered that as I had run downstairs a few moments ago, I had neglected to close it after me. From the direction in which she had come, it was plain that Claire Bradford had been paying another surreptitious visit to my quarters. What could have been her purpose? There must have been some strong impelling motive to make her dare the perilous journey along the window ledge, and now, at the imminent risk of discovery, to pay me a second visit. I began seriously to doubt whether the explanation she had offered me was the true one. I was beginning to feel that there was more than a possibility that she was again in the clutches of the unscrupulous rascal who had once been her husband.

Greatly puzzled, I made a hasty survey of the apartment, but could find nothing that appeared to have been disturbed. Going back to my own room I hastened to place a handkerchief out of my window as a signal to Barbara. For I knew she would be anxious to know the meaning of the sounds we had heard below. In a very few moments I heard the tap of her riding crop on my sill and hurried to answer.

"What was it?" she asked in an excited whisper.

"Daisy Lutan, an actress, who lived on the floor below, has been murdered—shot."

"Who did it?"

"I don't know. Mr. Wick and I went into the apartment together. There was no one there."

"How terrible!" she exclaimed.

"It is, indeed," I answered, "but it may help us."

"What do you mean?"

"With the police in the house making investigations, there'll be no more threats from the blackmailers for a while. They won't dare bother you for the present."

"Do you really think so?" she questioned with a little sigh of relief.

"To have it?"

"Have the police been called in?"

"Yes; two detectives are downstairs now."

"I'm glad," she said. "With the detectives here, they won't dare molest us, will they?"

"Of course not," I answered. "Is your sister at home?"

"Yes," she answered. "Our guests have just gone. Mother has retired, and Claire is in the living room writing a note. They hear nothing, so I did not tell them anything about it."

"That was wise. They'll hear it soon enough. Has your sister been in the apartment all evening?"

"She hasn't been out all day unless she went out just to drop the letter she was writing down the mail chute in the hall. Why do you ask?"

"I was merely wondering if there was any way she could learn of the murderer."

"How could she? Isn't that too terrible about Miss Lutan? But I mustn't talk any longer. Good night."

"Wait a moment," I cried. "There are some things I must discuss with you before I meet Gorman. How about meeting me at the Astor at eleven?"

"I can't promise, but I'll try. Good night!"

There was nothing further that I could do, and I felt sadly in need of rest. Throwing off my coat and waistcoat I began making preparations for bed. The notion took me to once more investigate the secret passageway. I pushed sharply on the panel as I had done before, but this time I could not budge it. I tugged and worked and pounded, but it stuck fast in spite of all my efforts. As I was struggling to force it open, there came a sharp ring at the bell of the apartment. As I was, in my shirt sleeves, I answered it. The two detectives I had seen downstairs stood there.

"What is it?" I asked.

"I arrest you for the murder of Daisy Lutan," said one of them, and with that they sprang forward and pinned my arms.

"Why, this is absurd," I laughed in

their faces, conscious of my utter innocence of the crime. "I had nothing to do with it."

"That remains to be seen. Put on your coat and come along."

Still holding me fast, they went back with me to my bedroom. Clutching me tight they made me put on my coat, and no sooner had I done so than one of them snapped handcuffs on me.

"Look at this, Jim," said one of them, pointing to a spot on the front of my coat.

"That's blood all right," said the other, after inspecting it.

"I got that when I was helping Mr. Wick lift the body to the couch," I protested.

"Tell that to the judge," the detective called Jim scoffed. "Better look around for the gun, Cullen."

"You'll find no gun here," I cried. "I never owned one."

Nevertheless Cullen began rummaging through the drawers of my dresser. Suddenly he gave a triumphant exclamation and drew something from beneath a pile of shirts in the second drawer.

"Here it is," he announced, holding up before my astonished eyes an automatic revolver.

"I never saw it before," I gasped.

The detective merely laughed.

"There's one bullet gone," said the man who was examining it.

"Come along, young fellow," said the other detective gruffly. "The bullet settles it. We've got the right party."

CHAPTER IX.

A prisoner in a police station cell, I passed a sleepless night. Conscious as I was of my utter innocence and confident of my speedy release, nevertheless I had to admit that the detectives from their point of view were perfectly justified in placing me under arrest.

For a burglar to have gained access to the apartments without the knowledge of the employees seemed almost an impossibility. For him to have

my unvarying answer to all their questions.

Finally they gave it up and locked me in a cell for the night, leaving me thankful that the honor of being a suspected murderer relieved me from sharing a cell with some of the frowny prisoners I saw brought past my barred door.

"Haven't you any friends you would like to have notified?" was the last question they asked as they left me.

"I have nothing to say," I repeated.

The apartment Nelson is occupying is directly above that of Miss Lutan. The police theory is that Nelson let himself into the apartment by swinging down from his window, and that Miss Lutan, returning unexpectedly, found him ransacking her rooms.

The crime was discovered by James Wick, superintendent of the apartment house, who was in the elevator when he heard screams followed by a shot. Getting out of the elevator to investigate he found Nelson at the door of the Lutan apartment.

Nelson glibly explained that he had heard a shot and was trying to see where it had come from. Mr. Wick's suspicions were aroused by his manner, and he made Nelson come with him into the apartment and kept him there until the arrival of the police.

Little is known at the Granddeck about young Nelson, and he stubbornly refuses to make any statement about himself. He was employed only a few days ago by Rufus Gaston as caretaker for his apartment. As Mr. Gaston is absent from the city it cannot be learned how he happened to give Nelson employment. The police believe he may have obtained the position through false references in order to gain an opportunity to loot the apartments in the building.

Superintendent Wick had ascertained that Nelson was once employed by a shipping firm in the Wall street district but had been discreditably discharged. His former employer confirmed this, but would say nothing about Nelson beyond stating that he had been discharged for cause.

Although Nelson was not over well supplied with money he had been seen recently ordering elaborate meals in some of the most expensive restaurants. Miss Nellie Kilmer, the telephone girl at the Granddeck, reported that only the night before Nelson had taken her to dinner, ordering champagne and hiring taxicabs, and had tried to pump her about the tenants in the building.

The one fact that stuck out in the whole article that seemed of vast importance to me was the fact that Wick had informed the police that I had been discreditably discharged from my last place of employment. How did he know that? Certainly I had not told him. I had told no one of the occurrence except Barbara Bradford, and I was sure she had not revealed it to anyone.

It was indubitable proof to me that Wick, or someone with whom he was conniving, had been having me shadowed. Even my great-uncle Rufus did not know where my place of employment was. Evidently the plot to discredit me had begun the day I arrived at the Granddeck. I had been discharged on account of some mysterious note my employer had received.

I began now to believe that Wick must have had me followed to my place of business and to have sent that note for the express purpose of bringing about my discharge. But why? That was the puzzle.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



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I escaped from the building after having murdered Miss Lutan without being detected seemed also highly improbable. Then, too, there was the damning evidence of the blood on my coat and the fact that I had been found at the door of the apartment. I had not observed the stain on my clothing until the detectives discovered it. My explanation of how it had gotten there was the true one, yet I could readily realize that it might sound fishy to others.

There was nothing for me to do but to sit tight and take my plight as it came. The revolver, with one bullet missing, was the strongest sort of evidence that I was the murderer. Yet I never had seen the weapon before and could not imagine who could have placed it there. There was only one explanation possible. It had been purposely planted there with the definite object of throwing suspicion on me.

The one person—the only person—I knew to have been in my room after the murder was committed was Claire Bradford. Could she have done it? I remembered that Barbara had shown me a revolver in her possession. I wondered—if this could be the same weapon. I did not think it possible that Claire herself could have used it. I could imagine no motive why Claire Bradford would want to kill Miss Lutan, yet it must have been she who had hidden the revolver in my dresser. What had been her motive?

"How had she got possession of the revolver after the murder?"

"Come what may, I had no intention of telling any one—not even Gorman—or Claire's second visit to my apartment. For Barbara's sake I made up my mind to keep my lips closed about that incident, even if I had to stay in prison indefinitely. At the police station, when the detectives had brought me in, I had quietly but firmly refused to answer any questions, although they had badgered me for nearly two hours before they let me alone.

"Where did you live before you came to the Granddeck?"

"Where did you work?"

"Where is Rufus Gaston?"

"Where do your people live?"

"Why did you kill Daisy Lutan?"

"Where did you get the money you have?"

"We've got the goods on you. Why don't you confess?"

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Organization of Knights of Windsor, Still in Existence, Was Founded by King Edward III.

The Military Knights of Windsor is the oldest military body in the world, having been founded by Edward III from the veterans of Crecy and Poitiers, originally having had the prefix "Sir." They are now selected by the king from the old regular officers of the British army.

The Windsor knights are picturesque old gentlemen, their uniforms consisting of scarlet coat with gold epaulets. Their somewhat expansive waists are lashed round with a crimson sash and they have a very dandy-looking cross-belt of white leather, on which is a breastplate embossed with the garter arms, the garter sword hanging from the belt. There is a bright crimson stripe on the outside of their trousers. Their hats are the most luxuriant creation of feathers, plumes and cockades.

The duties of these old warriors are not now very exacting. At one time they were bound to attend the chapel of St. George at Windsor twice a day. Their devotional duties were later reduced to their presence at divine service only once a week and on the birthdays of certain members of the royal family. The strength of the corps at the present time is only 18, which consists of 18 knights of the upper foundation and five in the lower.

BURGLAR MURDERS WELL-KNOWN ACTRESS

Miss Daisy Lutan Found Mysteriously Shot in Her Luxurious Apartment in the Granddeck.

Marks on Throat Where Murderer Had Choked Her

Police Arrest John S. Nelson, a Clerk, Out of Work, in Whose Room They Found a Revolver.

Daisy Lutan, an actress, whose matrimonial affairs recently brought her much notoriety, was found last night murdered in her apartment in the Granddeck. She had been instantly killed by a bullet wound through the heart, and there were marks on her throat where her assailant had tried to choke her. John S. Nelson, a clerk out of work, who had been acting as caretaker for one of the tenants in the building, was arrested.

There was blood on his coat when Detective Cullen and Edwards took him prisoner, and they found in his room a revolver with one chamber empty hidden under a pile of shirts in the dresser.

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No Prohibitionist.

"Don't you think James has a great deal of dry wit?"

"Yes, but I would like more spirit in it."

If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine.

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LITTLE-GIRL, BIG-BOY, AND THE GARDEN ELF.

The "Humbug" and the Bee
Aeroplane.

Part II.

"How impolite!" Little-Girl was really shocked, as she had been taught to be considerate of others, which is the real de-fin-i-tion of good manners. "Well, you couldn't blame the poor little beetle. He had to have the proper food, and his mother hadn't sealed it up in his nest, as most mother insects do. He really was worse off than an orphan at an early age," and the little Elf Man leaned back in his grassy nest and fanned himself with the tip of a grass blade. "How did you learn about him—did you follow him to the Bee hive?" asked Little Girl.

"Follow him!" the Elf man looked hurt and indignant. "Follow him—I should say not? Didn't I tell you that I knew lots of secrets?"

"What became of the beetle, and why did he have to go to the bee's home to get the right food so that he could turn into a blister beetle?" asked Big-Boy.

"Now, that," said the Elf Man, "is one of the secrets of Nature. His mother was born lazy. She didn't bustle and hunt around to make a nest in just the right place so that he could get the proper food. No, indeed, she laid her eggs in a field and went off and left the babies to shift for themselves. So when Tri-ung-u-lin came out into the world he climbed up a flower stalk and watched for a bee."

The little Elf scratched the end of his nose with his grass-leaf fan and looked wise.

"How did he know he had to eat bee bread?" asked Little-Girl. "I think bread and honey is nice."

"Ah, that is another of Nature's secrets. Tri-ung-u-lin knew quite as the human baby knows he has to have milk, well as that he had to take his strange ride to get his baby food. He had to find a bee. He had to ride in a bee-aeroplane or he wouldn't ever have become a blister beetle. Never at all!" And the Elf man slipped a heartsease seed into his baby morning-glow mouth.

"Does he blister you if you touch him?" asked Big-Boy.

"Oh, no," said the Elf man, "not

much talking. "Good by, little soldiers, I must turn over and take my siesta, otherwise my afternoon nap." So he rolled over and swung high on the bough in his leaf-bag bed.

As the children went slowly back to the low white house set in the middle of the old garden they heard him snoring tiny elfish snores. And the Elf yawned deep in his chest:

"I know I am doing my best; with such a small voice I have cause to rejoice That they hear me at all— What wot to be small, So I'll cuddle snug down in my nest, My nest, I'll cuddle snug down in my nest." —By Cecilia Reynolds Robertson. (To be continued.)

MICKIE SAYS

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RARS T' GO AFTER YOUVE PUT IN
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at all, but the Earth doctors catch him and his brothers and crush them into a paste and make a plaster that is put on sick people when they need to be blistered to draw some poison out of their systems. Usually," and he nodded his small head wisely, "the Earth people have done something foolish or they wouldn't be sick. They haven't followed the laws of health. And it is their own fault, for the United States Bureau of education is willing to teach them. I am told by the dictionary man that there is no excuse for ignorance. Children are taught in the home and at school. Books and papers are full of kind, helpful things to make people healthy and happy. Yet some boys and girls carry millions of germs under their finger nails. You may see them thro' the enchanted glass. How terrible. It quite upsets my nerves," and the Elf man took another heartsease seed out of his tiny pocket.

"Well, well," said the Green elf, "I was an elf boy once upon a time and I remember that Mother Elf had a sorry time keeping me clean. I was fond of sitting on the ground to talk to the doodle bugs; they are very interesting."

"Oh, tell us about the doodle bug, little Elf man," cried Little-Girl, spinning around on one foot until her yellow curls stood straight in the wind.

"Not to-day. It is a long story. But remember about blister beetle. He was once called Tri-ung-u-lin when as a baby insect, he took a ride on the back of a bee. One branch of his family is called the oil beetle. Uncle Oil Beetle rolls over and draws in his legs and spits oil at you if you touch him. He plays dead and the oil comes out of his joints. Most useful of all is the cousin that eats the grasshoppers' eggs when he is very young and has not yet formed a taste for leaves. The grasshoppers eat the crops, you know. The Garden manual says so, and any bug that helps destroy them is a soldier of the School Garden army. Of course, the blister beetle chews leaves too, and, I dare say, are something of a nuisance, but we have to remember their good deeds in helping get rid of a pest. And the Elf man took another heartsease seed, for his throat was dry with so

little water.

"Does he blister you if you touch him?" asked Big-Boy.

"Oh, no," said the Elf man, "not

any more."

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SCHOOL DAYS

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By EDGAR A. GUEST

MAY.

Here's May at the threshold, here's
May at the door,
With her arms filled with blossoms
to strew on earth's floor,
Here's May with the gladness that ripples along!
Oh, come all you, weary with striving
and sin
And fling wide the portals and welcome her in!

Some visitors come with their scandals to tell,
Some show at our threshold the wares
they would sell,
But a few come to see us for what
they can bring
Of laughter and gladness. We jump
at their ring
And rush to the door with a welcoming shout.
Such a caller is May who now lingers without.

The favorite sister of twelve has returned,
And she begs you to gather the blossoms you've earned,
Her arms hold a-plenty of wonderful sprays
And she whispers of more that are strewn down the ways.
She is bringing you beauty and gladness and mirth,
For May is the favorite daughter of earth.

Here's May at the threshold, here's
May at the door!
Earth's favorite maiden has come back once more.
There are blossoms about her wherever she goes,
And gladness and laughter and balm
for our woes.

As the pet of the flock that has long been away,
Let us welcome anew the homecoming of May.

Saying Something Nice.

One day a young married man, who had also been a good friend of mine, came into the office where I am employed and when he shook hands with me I said (thinking I would say something nice to him): "You certainly do look good to me." He replied: "I am sorry, but you told me too late." Needless to say, the laugh was on me.—Exchange.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Michigan
The Probate Court for the
County of Crawford.

In the matter of the Estate of William Michler, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 13th day of May A. D. 1920, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling in said county, on or before the 13th day of September A. D. 1920, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 13th day of September A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 12th, A. D. 1920.
Oscar Palmer,
Judge of Probate.

THE FACTS ABOUT RHEUMATISM.

More than nine out of ten cases of rheumatism are either chronic or muscular rheumatism, neither of which require any internal treatment. All that is required is to massage the affected parts freely with Chamberlain's Liniment. You will be surprised at the relief which it affords.

Adv.

NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefore, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land:

Situated in Crawford County, State of Michigan, to-wit:

The Southwest quarter (S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$) of Northwest quarter (N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section twenty-six (26), Town twenty-eight (28), Range four (4) West. Amount paid \$28.38. Taxes for year 1918.

The Southwest quarter (S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$) of Northwest quarter (N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section twenty-six (26), Town twenty-eight (28), Range four (4) West. Amount paid \$21.11. Taxes for year 1914.

The Southwest quarter (S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$) of Northwest quarter (N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section twenty-six (26), Town twenty-eight (28), Range four (4) West. Amount paid \$29.04. Taxes for year 1915.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$156.06 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Orlando F. Barnes,

Place of business, Lansing Michigan.

To S. H. Webster, Saginaw, Michigan, last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

State of Michigan,

County of Saginaw

I do hereby certify and return that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 31st day of March, 1920 and that after careful inquiry which has been continued from that time until this date I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or post-office address of S. H. Webster to whom said notice is addressed or the whereabouts or post office address of the heirs, administrator, Executor, trustee or guardian of said S. H. Webster.

Dated April 30th, 1920.

Charles E. Hodges,

Sheriff of the County of Saginaw.

My Fees, \$1.00.

State of Michigan,

County of Crawford

I do hereby certify and return that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the Twenty-seventh day of March, 1920, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of S. H. Webster the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service or of the heirs of said grantee, or the whereabouts, or the post office address of the executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of such grantee.

Dated May 3rd, 1920.

Ernest P. Richardson,

5-13-5. Sheriff of said County.

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Salvationists Allies of Poor In Combating H. C. of L.



A second hand store maintained by the Salvationists in Richmond, Va., and patronized largely by negroes. (Inset) Miss Catherine Jaille, only colored soldier in the National Headquarters Corps, New York.

"Clothes may be worn, but never out," is the slogan of the Salvation Army second-hand stores maintained in connection with the organization's Industrial homes throughout the country. Particularly in these days of high prices the stores have become effective allies of the poorer classes in combating the H. C. L.

In these veritable "Old Curiosity Shops" may be purchased shoes, clothes, hats, furniture, stoves and a great number of other household articles. This material is salvaged and

put in usable condition by workers in the industrial homes of the Army.

Prices charged for the reclaimed products are absurdly low, but still are sufficient to cover the wages of the men and women who do the repairing as well as to provide in most cases for the "overhead" cost of maintaining both the Industrial Home and its "re-tail" store.

The shop shown in the picture is located in the negro section of Richmond, Va. Similar institutions for all races and creeds are found in practically every one of the larger cities in the United States.

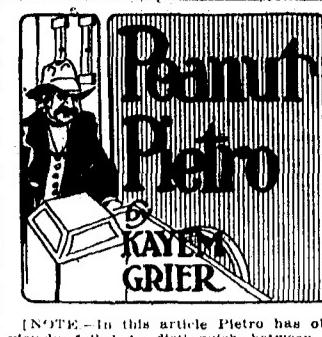
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ABOUT DIGESTION.

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[NOTE]—In this article Pietro has obviously failed to distinguish between a "still" with which whisky is made and the "still" that means "keeping the mouth shut."

SENCE da prohibish go to work everybody wants maka somthing wot gotta da keek. Da beer no show up any more and da wheesky costa too mooch from da bootleg. So only way ean gotta da dreenk now ees maka yourself.

I wanna maka some dreenk lasa week I am little fraid getta trouble weeth da cop. I reada bouta one guy wot maka wheesky een da paper and he gotta plenta trouble. Da paper say dat guy keepa still and when da cop raida hees house he go een da jail.

Before dat guy getta peenched I maka da mind up I keepa still, too. I feegure eef I no say somthing da cop no finds my place.

I asku one my frien wot's besta way for maka da wheesky. He say I am craze eend da head for do dat. He tella me wot for I no maka da beer for stead da other? He say I gotta keepa still for maka da wheesky and eef I keepa still I go een da jail longa time eef da cop know.

My frien say eef I no keepa still I no taka moocha reesk. He say eef I keepa still now ees breaka da law and I gotta pay da fine. I say I tink ees rotten deal eef I gotta pay da fine for keepa still. One other frien I gotta go een da jail one time for maka other moocha noise. And now deesa other frien say I go een da jail for keepa still.

So I decide change da system. Eef you keepa still you getta peench. And eef you no keepa still you no go een da jail. So when I maka da wheesky I am gonna tella everybody. Wottel's da good keeper da mouth shut and losa da liberty? Mebeo Uncle Sam feegure eef you keepa still you're crooked and eef you maka beeg noise you anka da wheesky square deal, I dunno.

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